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MESSAGE:

Dear Examiner Carpio

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In re application of: STEINFELD, Robert

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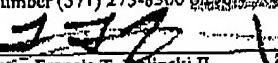
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Sir:

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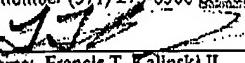
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AMENDMENT A

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 19, 2006, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

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